Weekend Assignment-

Chapter 12 (pgs. 248-262) and questions

1. Of the 3 fronts of the War of 1812 (West, Canada and Sea), which one was most successful and why?
2. What events took place at Washington, DC and Baltimore? What is the significance?
3. Who became a war hero at the Battle of New Orleans? Why was he also known as an “Indian fighter?”
4. What was the result of the Treaty of Ghent?
5. Describe the events surrounding the Hartford Convention. What did the delegates want to gain? How was their envoy met in DC? Why?
6. How was the United States impacted by the War of 1812? (Think long and short term results)
7. What was stated in the Rush-Bagot Treaty? Who was the treaty between?
8. What were the main points of the American System, put forth by Henry Clay? What was his reason for each of the 3 points?
9. What aspect of the American System did President Madison consistently veto? Why?
10. Why was James Monroe’s presidency called the “Era of Good Feelings?”
11. What caused the Panic of 1819? What impact did the panic have on the US?
12. What issues led to the flood of settlers heading westward? Why was the West known as “the land of promise?” How did the Land Act of 1820 contribute to westward expansion?
13. What was the Tallmadge Amendment? What was its purpose? Why was it so unpopular? Who disliked it the most?

Writing Assignment: DUE Monday

**Explain the influence of TWO of the following on the US decision to go to war in 1812.**

* **Embargo policies of Jefferson and Madison**
* **British impressment of American seamen**
* **Settlers’ conflicts with the Native Americans**
* **Expansionist goals of the war hawks**

**\*\*\*Formal Outline required. 10 point reduction for missing or inadequate outline.**